

## Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 TEHRAN 02936 271135Z  
ACTION EPA-04

INFO OCT-01 NEA-10 ISO-00 EB-08 OES-07 SS-15 AGRE-00  
LAB-04 HEW-06 HUD-02 DOTE-00 TRSE-00 AID-05 SSO-00  
/062 W

-----003692 271157Z /23

O 271115Z MAR 78  
FM AMEMBASSY TEHRAN  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 7570

UNCLAS TEHRAN 02936

PLEASE PASS DONALD OAKLEY, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: USIRJC  
SUBJ: POSSIBLE COOPERATION BETWEEN EPA AND IRANIAN  
PLAN AND BUDGET ORGANIZATION

PLAN AND BUDGET ORGANIZATION (PBO) PLANS TO SET UP DATA  
BANK WITH INFORMATION ON WATER RESOURCES QUALITY. DATA  
BANK WOULD UTILIZE SATELLITE INFORMATION, AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY  
AND GROUND PHOTOGRAPHY. PBO UNDERSTANDS EPA PRESENTLY  
MAINTAINS SUCH A SYSTEM AND WULD LIKE TO DISCUSS ITS  
POSSIBLE APPLICATION IN IRAN. A TEAM OF PBO EXPERTS WILL  
BE IN WASHINGTON IN APRIL AND WISHES TO MEET WITH RELEVANT  
EPA EXPERTS ON APRIL 20 IF POSSIBLE. TEAM CONSISTS OF DR.  
VAKIL, UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE FOR INFORMATION, PBO;  
DR. ZAHEDI, DIRECTOR, OPERATIONS RESEARCH BUREAU, PBO;  
MR. SAFFARI, DEPUTY DIRECTOR, OPERATIONS RESEARCH  
BUREAU, PBO; MRS. SHIRAKH, PROJECT MANAGER, WATER  
RESOURCES, PBO. PLEASE RESPOND BY IMMEDIATE CABLE  
PRIOR TO CLOSE OF BUSINESS MARCH 29.  
SULLIVAN

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01 jan 1994  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** DATA, NATURAL RESOURCES, INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION, ESTABLISHMENT OF OFFICES  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Draft Date:** 27 mar 1978  
**Decaption Date:** 01 jan 1960  
**Decaption Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** n/a  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:**  
**Disposition Date:** 01 jan 1960  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1978TEHRAN02936  
**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** n/a  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** N/A  
**Errors:** N/A  
**Expiration:**  
**Film Number:** D780132-0845  
**Format:** TEL  
**From:** TEHRAN  
**Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Image Path:**  
**ISecure:** 1  
**Legacy Key:** link1978/newtext/t19780321/aaaaarku.tel  
**Line Count:** 45  
**Litigation Code IDs:**  
**Litigation Codes:**  
**Litigation History:**  
**Locator:** TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM  
**Message ID:** a8ab12bd-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc  
**Office:** ACTION EPA  
**Original Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Original Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Original Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Original Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Page Count:** 1  
**Previous Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Reference:** n/a  
**Retention:** 0  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 29 mar 2005  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Release Date:** N/A  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
**Review Transfer Date:**  
**Review Withdrawn Fields:** n/a  
**SAS ID:** 3192035  
**Secure:** OPEN  
**Status:** NATIVE  
**Subject:** POSSIBLE COOPERATION BETWEEN EPA AND IRANIAN PLAN AND BUDGET ORGANIZATION PLAN AND BUDGET ORGANIZATION (PBO) PLANS TO SET UP  
**TAGS:** PGOV, SENV, US, IR, USIRJC  
**To:** STATE  
**Type:** TE  
**vdkgvkey:** odbc://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS\_Docs/a8ab12bd-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc  
**Review Markings:**  
Sheryl P. Walter  
Declassified/Released  
US Department of State  
EO Systematic Review  
20 Mar 2014  
**Markings:** Sheryl P. Walter Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 20 Mar 2014